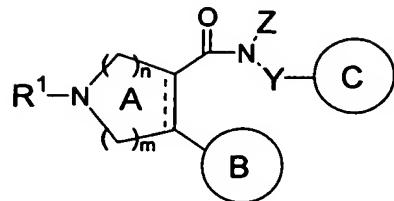


Abstract

The present invention relates to a compound represented by the formula



5 wherein ring A is a nitrogen-containing heterocycle optionally further having substituent(s), ring B and ring C are each an aromatic ring optionally having substituent(s), R¹ is a hydrogen atom, a hydrocarbon group optionally having substituent(s), an acyl group or a heterocyclic group
10 optionally having substituent(s), Z is an optionally halogenated C₁₋₆ alkyl group, Y is a methylene group optionally having substituent(s), m and n are each an integer of 0 to 5, m+n is an integer of 2 to 5, and --- is a single bond or a double bond, or a salt thereof. The compound of the present
15 invention has a superior tachykinin receptor antagonistic action, particularly an SP receptor antagonistic action, and is useful as a pharmaceutical agent, for example, a tachykinin receptor antagonist, an agent for the prophylaxis or treatment of an abnormality of lower urinary tract functions, a
20 digestive organ disease or a central nerve disease, and the like.